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17 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
18 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

19 IN RE TRANSPACIFIC PASSENGER AIR  
20 TRANSPORTATION ANTITRUST  
21 LITIGATION

Master File No.: CV 07-05634 CRB

MDL No. 1913

PLAINTIFF BRUCE HUT'S JOINDER IN  
PLAINTIFFS DONALD WORTMAN,  
WILLIAM ADAMS, AND MARGARET  
GARCIA'S MOTION FOR  
APPOINTMENT OF INTERIM LEAD  
COUNSEL

Date: March 28, 2008

Time: 10 a.m.

Courtroom: 8, 19th Floor

Judge: Hon. Charles R. Breyer

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1 Plaintiff Bruce Hut (“Hut”) submits this Joinder in support of Plaintiffs Donald  
 2 Wortman, William Adams, and Margaret Garcia’s pending motion requesting that their  
 3 attorneys, the law firm of Cotchett, Pitre & McCarthy (“the Cotchett Firm”), be appointed as  
 4 interim lead counsel in this action.<sup>1</sup> The Cotchett Firm filed the first case in this matter, and is  
 5 experienced in litigating similar price-fixing cases against air carriers. Moreover, the Cotchett  
 6 Firm has developed working, cooperative relationships with the other firms representing  
 7 plaintiffs in this action, including the attorneys representing Hut, and intends to create an  
 8 organizational structure, including creation of a Steering Committee, to prosecute the case.  
 9 Plaintiff Hut supports the Cotchett Firm’s proposed management structure and submits that the  
 10 efficiencies created will be in the best interests of the proposed class.

11 Therefore, for the foregoing reasons, Plaintiff Hut respectfully requests that the Cotchett  
 12 Firm be appointed interim lead counsel.

13 Dated: March 26, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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1 Plaintiff Hut filed the action entitled *Bruce Hut v Air New Zealand, et al.*, Case No. CV 08-01462 MEJ, on  
 March 14, 2008 in this District, which has not yet been related to the above-entitled consolidated cases.

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Dated: March 26, 2008

**KAPLAN FOX & KILSHEIMER LLP**

By: /s/ Laurence D. King

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